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**Request for Acknowledgement of
Three Information Disclosure Statements**

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the Examiner acknowledge that the Information Disclosure Statements filed February 6, 2001, May 21, 2003, and July 28, 2003 were considered.

Along with the application filed on February 6, 2001, a copy of a Form PTO-1449 was concurrently filed. The Form PTO-1449 was filed in the parent application, namely U.S. Patent Application No. 09/073,027. Additional Information Disclosure Statements were filed on June 22, 2001, March 5, 2003, May 21, 2003, and July 28, 2003. During the prosecution of the application, the Applicant has received initialed copies of the Form PTO-1449's submitted with the Information Disclosure Statements filed on June 22, 2001 and March 5, 2003. The Applicant has not received initialed copies of the Form PTO-1449's filed on February 6, 2001, May 21, 2003, and July 28, 2003. Thus, it is respectfully requested that the documents listed on the Form

PTO-1449's filed on February 6, 2001, May 21, 2003, and July 28, 2003 be acknowledged, that the Form PTO-1449's be initialed to indicate that the listed documents have been considered, and that a copy of the initialed Form PTO-1449's be provided to the Applicant.

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